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In re Application of :

Larry Dean Cline et al. :

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For: METHOD FOR REMOVING :
METAL CLADDING FROM AIRFOIL
SUBSTRATE

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**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT PURSUANT
TO 37 CFR 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98 (PRIOR TO FIRST OFFICE ACTION)**

Commissioner for Patents
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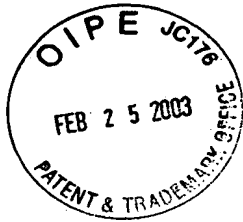
In accordance with 37 CFR 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, Applicants request the Examiner to make of record the documents listed on the attached PTO-1449 form. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed. In accordance with MPEP 609, the Examiner is requested to initial the documents listed on the attached PTO-1449 form in the space provided, make a copy of the initialed form, and return the copy to Applicants' attorney. This paper and the enclosed documents are being submitted in accordance with 37 CFR 1.97(b), i.e., prior to a first Office Action on the merits.

The documents listed on the attached PTO-1449 form for which copies are now provided came to Applicant's attorney's attention as a result of a European Search Report (copy enclosed) for the European application corresponding to the above application.

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